SENATE

FINANCE, WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 2009 1:00 P.M. – LEGISLATIVE PLAZA ROOM 12

COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

McNally (R) Chairman	BLACK (R)	Kyle (D)	WATSON (R)
HENRY (D) VICE CHAIRMAN	HAYNES (D)	NORRIS (R)	WOODSON (R)
BURCHETT (R) SECRETARY	HERRON (D)	OVERBEY (R)	

BUDGET HEARINGS:

TENNESSEE SECRETARY OF STATE TENNESSEE STATE TREASURY DEPARTMENT TENNESSEE COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY

REGULAR CALENDAR

1. SB 0414 by *Watson (*HB 0273 by *Dean)

Local Government, General - As introduced, clarifies that any provision of law or charter provision that requires a county or municipality to sell surplus property by public auction, such term includes sale by Internet auction. - Amends TCA Title 5; Title 6 and Title 7.

2. *SB 0861 by *Black (HB 1144 by *Brooks H)

Fees - As introduced, increases amount official may charge for collection and recording of business tax from \$5.00 to \$7.00; requires the additional \$2.00 to be earmarked for computer related expenses including computer hardware purchases. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4.

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3. SB 1158 by *Finney L (*HB 1297 by *Maddox)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, redefines "person entitled to redeem property" to include only persons who on the date of the tax sale own a legal or equitable interest in the property sold at the tax sale. - Amends TCA Section 67-5-2701.

4. *SB 1277 by *Bunch (HB 1601 by *Swafford)

Taxes, Real Property - As introduced, removes requirement that the trustee must report and make a settlement for all taxes with the commissioner of revenue; removes requirement that the trustee submit a financial report to certain state and local government officers for purposes of making a final settlement of taxes. - Amends TCA Title 67

5. SB 1309 by *Tracy (*HB 1311 by *Harmon)

Transportation, Dept. of - As introduced, removes department of finance and administration's authority to transfer funds from the highway fund. - Amends TCA Section 4-3-1016 and Title 54, Chapter 2, Part 1.

6. SB 1667 by *Finney L (*HB 1211 by *Eldridge, Shaw)

Local Government, General - As introduced, clarifies the definition of the term "project" as it relates to central business improvement districts. - Amends TCA Title 7, Chapter 53, Part 1.

7. SB 2169 by *Bunch (*HB 1996 by *Bone)

Tobacco Master Settlement Agreement - As introduced, requires posting of a bond in order for a non-participating manufacturer to be included in the directory of tobacco product manufacturers. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4, Part 26.

8. SB 2271 by *Kyle, Jackson (*HB 2308 by *Curtiss, Turner M)

Probation and Parole - As introduced, requires offenders under the jurisdiction of the board of probation and parole who transfer residence to another state pursuant to the interstate compact for the supervision of adult offenders to pay to the board an application fee for the transfer; requires board to set the amount of the fee by rule. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 28, Part 2.

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9. SB 2305 by *Kyle, Jackson (*HB 2294 by *Litz, Turner M)

Environment and Conservation, Department of - As introduced, authorizes the department to receive funds appropriated by Congress for subsidization of loans made through the drinking water revolving loan fund and the program for low-cost loans to local governments for wastewater facilities, through such mechanisms as forgiveness of principal, negative interest rates, or grants. - Amends TCA Title 68, Chapter 221, Parts 10 and Part 12.

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CONSENT CALENDAR

1. *SB 0267 by *Harper, Haynes, Johnson (HB 0447 by *Pruitt, Sontany, Moore, Stewart, Turner M, Jones S, Gilmore, Odom, West)

Special License Plates - As introduced, authorizes issuance of Music City Inc. Foundation new specialty earmarked plates; allocates 50 percent of funds produced from sale thereof to the Music City Inc. Foundation. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

2. *SB 0386 by *Yager, McNally (HB 0730 by *Ferguson, Winningham, Hackworth)

Courts, Municipal - As introduced, allows certain municipal judges to concurrently serve as municipal recorder and exempts certain municipal judges from certain annual continuing education requirements imposed on municipal judges. - Amends TCA Title 16, Chapter 18, Part 3.

3. *SB 0977 by *Berke (HB 1310 by *Harmon)

Special License Plates - As introduced, authorizes issuance of cultural license plates for teachers. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

4. SB 1983 by *Stewart (*HB 1581 by *Matheny)

Highway Signs - As introduced, "Bob Couch Highway," segment of U.S. Highway 41A in Coffee County. -

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5. *SB 2145 by *Ford, O. (HB 2196 by *Camper, Cooper B, DeBerry L)

Special License Plates - As introduced, authorizes issuance of Church of God in Christ cultural license plates. - Amends TCA Title 55, Chapter 4.

6. *SJR 0231 by *Tracy

Highway Signs - "Gen. William J. Hardee Memorial Bridge," S.R. 269 in Bedford County -

7. *SJR 0232 by *Tracy

Highway Signs - "POW John C. "Junior" Helton Memorial Bridge," U.S. Highway 231 in Bedford County -

8. *SJR 0233 by *Tracy

Highway Signs - "Col. Andrew Erwin Memorial Bridge," S.R. 269 in Bedford County -

9. *SJR 0234 by *Tracy

Highway Signs - "Sydney 'Bud' McGrew Memorial Bridge," S.R. 130 in Bedford County -

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TAX SUBCOMMITTEE OF FINANCE, WAYS & MEANS COMMITTEE CALENDAR

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COMMITTEE MEMBERS:

HENRY (D) CHAIRMAN

BLACK (R)

HERRON (D)

REGULAR CALENDAR

1. *SB 1928 by *Berke (HB 1419 by *Stewart)

Taxes, Sales - As introduced, further defines "workbook" for purposes of sales and use taxes to include printed material reproduced by teachers through photocopying, printing, or other means. - Amends TCA Title 67.

2. SB 1235 by *Bunch (*HB 0810 by *Campfield)

Taxes, Amusement - As introduced, adds certain adult-oriented materials and activities to items subject to amusement tax, sets tax rates for such materials and activities; lowers sales tax on certain foods. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6; Section 67-6-102 and Section 67-6-228(a).

3. *SB 1152 by *Gresham (HB 1389 by *Dennis, Rich)

Taxes, Exemption and Credits - As introduced, establishes franchise and excise tax credit for certain commercial broadcasting stations. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 4.

4. *SB 1791 by *Herron (HB 2230 by *Fitzhugh)

Taxes, Gasoline, Petroleum Products - As introduced, exempts gasoline used by contractors of the division of mental retardation services from the gasoline tax under the governmental agency exemption. - Amends TCA Title 33 and Title 67.

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5. *SB 1820 by *Herron (HB 2228 by *Fitzhugh)

Public Funds and Financing - As introduced, requires that payments owed to any department of state government in an amount less than \$1.00 be waived. - Amends TCA Title 9, Chapter 2.

6. SB 2357 by *Kyle (*HB 2389 by *Fitzhugh)

Taxes - As introduced, increases from 2 percent to 5.5 percent the tax that all HMOs doing business in this state must pay on the gross amount of all dollars collected from an enrollee or on an enrollee's behalf. - Amends Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 2, Title 3, Title 4, Title5, Title6, Title 7, Title 8, Title 9, Title 11, Title 12, Title 13, Title 16, Title 33, Title 36, Title 37, Title 38, Title 39, Title 40, Title 41, Title 42, Title 43, Title 44, Title 45, Title 47, Title 48, Title 49, Title 50, Title 51, Title 54, Title 55, Title 56, Title 57, Title 58, Title 59, Title 60, Title 61, Title 62, Title 63, Title 65, Title 66, Title 67, Title 68, Title 70 and Title 71.

7. *SB 1741 by *Marrero B (HB 1947 by *Shaw)

Taxes, Internet and e-Commerce - As introduced, creates presumption that person making sale of tangible personal property to persons in this state that have been solicited by independent contractors or other representatives in Tennessee is responsible for sales tax on such sale. - Amends TCA Title 67, Chapter 6, Part 2.